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SUBJ: EQUATORIAL GUINEA: EXILE OPPOSITION MOVEMENT?

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SUMMARY: SPANISH ASKED IF U.S. HAS ANY INFORMATION ON FLGE. END SUMMARY.

ACTION REQUESTED: TRANSMITTAL OF ANY AVAILABLE INFORMATION ON FLGE AND ITS LEADERS, WITH INDICATION AS TO WHAT CAN BE SHARED WITH SPANISH.

1. DURING AUGUST 8-10 FRIEDMAN-MITHOEFER MALABO TRIP, NEW SPANISH AMBASSADOR DE CASSO ASKED IF U.S. HAD ANY INFORMATION ON FRENTE DE LIBERACION DE GUINEA ECUATORIAL (FLGE), WHICH, ACCORDING 27 FEBRUARY LIMA, PERU NEWSPAPER "EL COMERCIO" HELD A PRESS CONFERENCE AT WASHINGTON NATIONAL PRESS CLUB 26 FEBRUARY (HE HAD COPY OF ARTICLE). LEADERS OF MOVEMENT IDENTIFIED AS GRADUATES AMERICAN UNIVERSITIES AND INCLUDED ADOLFO OBIANG, ANGEL EMAN AND MARSANO MANSUY.

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- 2. SPANISH HAD NO INFORMATION EXCEPT THAT OBIANG WENT SCHOOL IN SPAIN AND WAS PRINCIPAL LEADER. THEY WOULD APPRECIATE ANY INFORMATION ON FLGE AND LEADERSHIP WHICH WE WILLING SHARE.
- 3. AMBASSADOR DE GASSO OBSERVED THAT PRES. MACIAS OBVIOUSLY UNAWARE FLGE HAD GIVEN WASHINGTON PRESS CONFERENCE, OTHERWISE WE WOULD BE PERSONA NON GRATA. MOORE

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